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Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed August 23, 2004, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Request for Reconsideration begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Conclusion begin on page 5 of this paper.